GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

WRD - Construction of coffer dam in the foreshore of Chitravathi Balancing Reservoir for proposed pumped storage project of 500 MW – Permission - Accorded – Orders – Issued.

WATER RESOURCES (PROJECTS.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.154 Date:05-03-2024

Read:

From the Engineer-in-Chief (I), Vijayawada Letter No.ENC (I)/DCE (GDS)/OT1/AEE5/ CBR, Dt:11.01.2023.

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O R D E R

In the circumstances reported by the Engineer-in-Chief (I), Vijayawada in the reference read above, after careful examination of the matter, Government, hereby accord permission to proceed further for construction of coffer dam in the foreshore of Chitravathi Balancing Reservoir for proposed pumped storage project of 500 MW subject to following conditions:-

i) The construction of the coffer dam must be executed in a manner that does not compromise the functionality of existing drinking water schemes as well as should not affect the irrigation of standing crops of the Chitravathi Balancing Reservoir.

ii) The contracting firm is required to furnish pertinent records for verification by the concerned department during the construction of the cofferdam within the foreshore area of Chitravathi Balancing Reservoir.

iii) Upon the completion of wet testing for the project components, the contracting firm is obligated to dismantle the cofferdam within the stipulated period of 3 months. The dismantled material must be disposed of at a location significantly distant from the reservoir, ensuring no adverse impact on the reservoir's storage capacity.

iv) The contracting firm shall bear responsibility for any activities that may lead to disruption or damage within the reservoir area while carrying out the construction of the cofferdam.

v) The department is not liable for any seepage resulting from store.

vi) The firm itself solely responsible for any property loss or casualties that might occur during the construction of cofferdam.

vii) The contracting firm shall complete the work as per the schedule.

viii) Obtain opinion/recommendation of CE/CDO regarding the design and technical details, construction methodology etc.

ix) Cost of construction & removal of coffer dam will be borne by M/s Adani Green Energy Limited.

2. The Engineer-in-Chief (I), Vijayawada is therefore requested to take necessary further action accordingly.

3. Copy of this order is available in the apegazette.cgg.gov.in website.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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To
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